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25X1 3. [ ] Mrs. Arlene McArthur, Personal Secretary to Senator Charles McC. Mathias (R., Md.), called to say that unfortunately the Navy had scheduled a briefing on 9 October which Senator Mathias felt he could not miss and therefore it would be necessary for him to cancel his lecture to the Mid-Career Course that morning. She said the Senator was anxious to do this kind of thing, however, and asked that we contact them again when another opportunity might present itself. 25X1

25X1 4. [ ] J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, called and asked if we had any information on [ ] I told him I would check on this and be back in touch with him.

25X1 5. [ ] Talked further with James Gehrig, Staff Director, Senate Aeronautical and Space Sciences Committee, about a briefing of the Committee and designated staff members by Mr. Duckett on the Luna 16 shot and recent developments in the Soviet space program. Gehrig plans to talk with Chairman Anderson and Senator Margaret Chase Smith about a briefing sometime next week and he will be back in touch with us. It was agreed that staff participation would be limited to Gehrig, Bill Parker, and Craig Voorhees.

25X1 6. [ ] Talked with Ed Kenny, Senator Strom Thurmond's representative on the Senate Preparedness Subcommittee staff, about the Senator's letter to the Director on Cuba. (Kenny had mentioned to me earlier that the Senator had sent such a letter.) I told Kenny that the Director had focused on the letter and appreciated the Senator's concern over the situation. He also wanted the Senator to be assured that we were on top of the situation and giving it top priority. Kenny said he was sure we were and that the President had so instructed the Director. He said Thurmond had made a public statement expressing his concern over the Cuban situation including a statement that he was calling on the Director to give it his full attention, and he wanted to follow up on this by sending him a letter. Kenny went on to say that as noted in the Senator's postscript when we were "in a position to provide anything further on this the Senator would appreciate it."

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